

Licensing team grants approval to three programs

Three Gallaudet programs recently received full "state" licensing approval by a 23-member team representing the District of Columbia Public Schools. The team evaluated the Parent-Infant Program at the master's level, the undergraduate Teacher Education Program and the School Psychology Program within the College of Arts and Sciences—granting licensing approval to each for a five-year period.

"The significance of this evaluation is that an approval by the District's 'State' Certification Office permits Gallaudet graduates from those programs to qualify for a professional license not only in the District of Columbia Public Schools but also in approximately 30 states with whom the District has an interstate reciprocity agreement," said David Martin, dean of the School of Education and Human Services (SEHS).

"It is easy to see that this agreement is very beneficial to our graduates who take positions in many different locations," Dr. Martin added.

This was the first year the master's level Parent-Infant Program was reviewed. The other two programs were evaluated once before, receiving full approval in 1982. Programs are evaluated every five years.

Programs are reviewed and evaluated using standards developed by the National Association of State Directors of Teacher Education and Certification (NASDTEC). The standards represent a generally recognized baseline for program approval and serve as the main ingredient in the granting of reciprocal certification status among participating states.

Pettingill takes over exhibit program

Don Pettingill, special assistant to the vice president for University Relations, has assumed an additional responsibility in the last month and a half: he has taken over Gallaudet's exhibit program.

Pettingill, the University's exhibit coordinator, took on his new responsibilities April 1. Until that time, the exhibit program was part of the Public Relations Office.

The new task is one Pettingill is meeting with enthusiasm. "I'm elated over the opportunity this program offers a deaf person to meet and chat with a cross section of Americans—professionals, parents and deaf people themselves," he said.

He believes the exhibit program is "a very vital and highly visible part of our efforts to spread the good word about Gallaudet University."

Pettingill, who is working with a



From left, KDES students Suzette Aguayo, Margie English and Hildur Jonsson during auditions for a new Gallaudet production, "Fantastics." Fifty students auditioned for the program April 30 at KDES. Produced by the Department of Television, Film and Photography, the program will begin this fall.

Faculty, staff receive awards May 4

Eight faculty and staff members were presented awards during the University's Awards Night May 4 at Elstad Auditorium.

While primarily a student event, Awards Night has become a University-wide ceremony as student organizations have opted to present awards to faculty and staff.

Gil Eastman, a professor in the Theatre Arts Department, was presented the Man of the Year Award from Alpha Sigma Pi fraternity. The fraternity gave John Van Cleve, professor and chair of the History Department, its Teacher of the Year Award.

Chi Omega Psi sorority honored as its Man of the Year Richard Meisegeier, professor and chair of the Honors Program. The group's Woman of the Year Award went to Jean Berube, assistant

professor in the Department of Physical Education and Recreation.

Jack Gannon, executive director of the Office of Alumni Relations and Advancement, was presented the Man of Merit Award by Delta Epsilon sorority. Janice Holness, supervisor of student accounts in Accounting, was honored for outstanding and dedicated service by the African Student Union.

The Student Body Government presented its Faculty/Staff of the Year Award to Steven Chough, dean of Student Affairs.

Physical Fitness Awards, presented by the Department of Physical Education and Recreation, were given to Barbara Bodner-Johnson, professor in the Department of Education, Ed Krest,

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Bookstore chains now carrying two books from Press

Gallaudet University Press publications are now being carried nationwide by two major bookstore chains—B. Dalton and Waldenbooks.

"My First Book of Sign," written by Pamela J. Baker and illustrated by Patricia Bellan Gillen, and "I Can Sign My ABCs," written by Susan Chaplin and illustrated by Laura McCaul, are the first Gallaudet University Press publications to be carried by nationwide bookstore chains.

The children's books, both showing alphabetically arranged objects and their signs, became available at all of the chains' stores this month.

"Buyers from both companies were enthusiastic about carrying the books," said Pat Hurt-Ritenburg, marketing manager at Gallaudet University Press. "They were aware of the books' appeal for all children. These books are particularly good for introducing sign language in the general market because they are so imaginative and beautifully illustrated."

Washington Post columnist Charlie Monaghan discussed the publications in the newspaper's May 10 Book World section, which focused on children's books. Monaghan noted Gallaudet's world leadership in the publication of educational materials for and about hearing impaired people but said that generally the materials are "read only by those who have a special interest in the field."

"Now there is even more reason for [Gallaudet University Press] to preen a bit," Monaghan said in reference to the major chains' contract for the two children's books.



Princess Alexandra, cousin of Queen Elizabeth II of Great Britain, visited Gallaudet May 5. She and Michael Jenkins, minister at the British Embassy, are pictured talking with Provost Catherine Ingold at the Visitors Center exhibit. The princess also toured the studios of the Department of Television, Film and Photography and watched a demonstration of the emulator at MSSD.

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Press publishes student workbook on hearing loss

"Wired for Sound" is a new book published by Kendall Green Publications, an imprint of Gallaudet University Press.

The author, Carole Bugosh Simko, is an itinerant hearing therapist in Pennsylvania. She is the author of "Ear Gear," a student workbook on hearing and hearing aids published by Gallaudet University Press.

"Wired for Sound" is the secondary school edition of "Ear Gear." The workbook, designed for older students, answers many questions about hearing loss. Eighteen lessons cover a variety of topics and include vocabulary lists and exercises.

The workbook is written at the fifth grade reading level and includes a number of illustrations by Jan Skrobisz of the Department of Publications and Production.

"Wired for Sound" is available from the Gallaudet Bookstore.



The Gallaudet Workout was one of several aerobic programs in the area to provide leadership during the recent American Heart Association fund-raiser, Dance for Heart. Pictured at left, Gina Oliva teaches the sign "A" for aerobics during the four-hour workout/fund-raiser. Sue Gill-Gould, also from Gallaudet, holds the microphone for Oliva as Kathy Smith, who is featured in aerobics videotapes, claps along.

Announcements

Because of the Memorial Day holiday, *On the Green* will not be published next Monday, May 25. The next issue of *On the Green* will be published June 1. Items for inclusion in that issue should be submitted no later than Friday, May 22.

Overeaters Anonymous meets Tuesdays through Fridays from noon to 1 p.m. in Ely Center, Room 315. No dues, fees or weigh-ins are required. For more information, call Truman, x5589 (V), x5588 (TDD), x5580 (leave message) or 593-1735 (V).

Programs in Adult and Community Education (PACE) is sponsoring a bus trip to Busch Gardens for "Deaf and Hearing Impaired Day" on May 30. For more information, call PACE at x5044.

A 1987 national conference on "Mental Health and the Postsecondary Deaf Student" will be held in New Orleans, La., Oct. 29-31. Sponsored jointly by the Department of Counseling and the National Academy, the three-day conference is being coordinated by Allen Sussman, professor in the Department of Counseling, and Virginia Cowgell, assistant to the dean of Student Affairs. For more information, call Howard Busby, x5096.

June 21 to 27 has been designated "Helen Keller Deaf-Blind Awareness Week." For information about services and training offered by the Helen Keller National Center (HKNC), write or call

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the Department of Television, Film and Photography.

Pettingill invites the entire campus community to contribute ideas to the exhibit program. "We're inviting all campus departments to show their wares at the exhibit," he said. "We want the whole University involved in bragging about Gallaudet."

HKNC, 111 Middle Neck Road, Sands Point, NY 11050, (516) 944-8900.

AT&T's National Special Needs Center is offering a free 16-page catalog of assistive devices such as TDD equipment, telephone amplifiers, light signals and captioning decoders. To obtain a catalog, call 1-800-833-3232 (TDD) or 1-800-233-1222 (V).

Video Trend, Inc. will donate to the National Captioning Institute (NCI) \$1 for each "Children of a Lesser God" videocassette purchased from them by video dealers. This donation, expected to total at least \$10,000, will be used to purchase decoders for use in schools, senior citizen centers, libraries, hospitals and other programs for hearing impaired persons. The videocassette was scheduled for release earlier this month.

The National Institute of Corrections under the U.S. Department of Corrections in the Justice Department now has a TDD number. For inquiries involving funding, training, technical assistance or research related to prisons/jails, call 724-3156 (TDD) or 724-3106 (V).



The Theatre Arts Department presented its 13th annual children's production earlier this month, staging "The Ice Wolf" at Elstad Auditorium.

Classified Ads

WANTED: Female to share 3-BR house in Cheverly, CAC, fireplace, W/D. \$225 plus 1/3 util. Call Sue or Linda after 5 p.m., 341-5729 (V/TDD).

FOR SALE: Floor-to-ceiling shelves covered w/mats; plastic bowling bag; automatic moist heat pack; hair dryer; large aluminum bowl; black iron flowers picture w/frame; set of plates/bowls; kettle; rack and mat for washing dishes; other items. Call Glenna, 474-6735 (TDD).

WANTED: Room/board in family house for female college student. Willing to do some babysitting, cooking and household chores. Rent negotiable. Call Anne, 443-5039 (V/TDD) 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. or 772-3265 (TDD) eves.

FOR RENT: Ocean City condo in bay area near Hotel Sheraton, sleeps 6, TV, microwave, largest pool in Ocean City, many other amenities, 500 steps from beach. Call Ron or Agnes, 434-6409 (V/TDD) eves.

FOR SALE: Apple IIe system. 80 cols w/128K, green monitor, 300 Baud modem, dual disk drive, numeric pad. Call Ron or Agnes, 434-6409 (V/TDD) eves.

FOR SALE: Graco Converta Swingomatic Cradle, \$45 and Swingomatic Seat, \$10. Fisher Price infant bath, \$8; portable infant bed, \$10; Gerber feeding set, \$10; Cookie Monster Crawl Along, \$8; Kolcraft carry cradle, \$10; Snuggly baby carrier, \$18; Gerry Cuddle baby carrier, \$8; Kaneson breast pump, \$8; 3-6 mo. baby clothes, \$1 or \$2 each. Call Jane, x5385 or 773-0881 (V/TDD) eves.

FOR SALE: '76 Buick Skyhawk, hatchback, AC, 2-DR, needs minor repairs to doors. \$1,500/BO. Call Larry, 547-6289 (V/TDD).

WANTED: Mature, nonsmoking female roommate to share furn. 3-BR house in Takoma Park. Call Vicki, x5270 or 439-4921 (TDD) eves.

FOR SALE: Renovated 3-BR townhouse 1 block from Kendall Green. 2 1/2 baths, formal DR, large kitchen, fireplace and exposed brick wall in living room, fenced back yard, mini blinds. Call x5458 (TDD).

WANTED: Mature, responsible, nonsmoking male/female to rent good-sized bedroom in newly developed Greenbelt townhouse. Kitchen privileges, W/D. Person should have a car and not be allergic to cats. \$250/mo. plus 1/3 util. Call Lynn S., x5035 or 345-6642 (TDD) eves.

FOR SALE: '81 Honda CM400 motorcycle, 7,500 miles, new battery, 2 helmets, good cond., runs well. \$700. Call Bill, x5043 or 354-1275 (V).

FOR SALE: '77 Chevette, good cond., good radial tires. Passed Va. inspection. \$700/BO. Leave message for Clay, 543-5615 (TDD).

WANTED: Secretary/Interpreter. Qualifications: College degree, knowledge of computers/word processing, nonsmoker. Apply to: Schwarz Financial Concepts, 814 Thayer Avenue, Suite 301, Silver Spring, MD 20910, 587-5997 (V), 587-5996 (TDD).

Job Openings

The list below includes only new staff and faculty openings and does not represent all jobs available. To get a recorded message describing the complete list, call x5358 or x5359 (TDD).

SENIOR WRITER/EDITOR (*ON THE GREEN*): Publications and Production

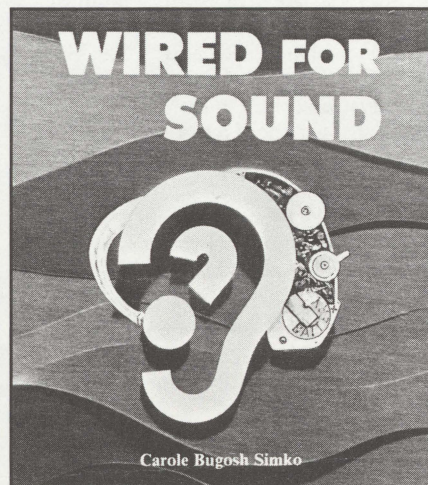
PHOTOGRAPHY ASSISTANT: Publications and Production

SPEECH PATHOLOGIST: MSSD

CLINICAL FELLOWSHIP YEAR (CFY) AUDIOLOGIST: MSSD

ACADEMIC APPLICATIONS PROGRAMMER: Computer Services

MECHANIC IV: Physical Plant Department



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associate professor in the Department of Mathematics and Computer Science, and Marsha Wetzel of the Residence Program.

During the awards presentation, Rebecca Gleicher, senior editor of the Tower Clock yearbook, announced that this year's edition of the yearbook would be dedicated to Gallaudet President Jerry C. Lee.

Awards Night is sponsored by Committee C, the collegiate faculty committee on faculty/student welfare.



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